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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Izumi TSUKAMOTO et al.

Application No.: 09/640,724

Filed: August 18, 2000

For: SUBSTRATE ATTRACTING AND
HOLDING SYSTEM FOR USE IN
EXPOSURE APPARATUS

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Examiner: P. Kim

Group Art Unit: 2851

July 22, 2002

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REQUEST FOR APPROVAL OF DRAWING CHANGE

Sir:

Applicants request that the Examiner approve the change to Figures 31, as shown in
red on the attached sketches, enclosed in duplicate.

In FIG. 31, insert under "FIG. 31" -- PRIOR ART --.

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Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our Washington, D.C. office by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read "Steven E. Warner", is written over a horizontal line.

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment with Petition for Extension of Time in the above-identified application.

☒ No additional fee is required.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	93	MINUS	93	= 2	x \$9 \$18	\$0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	14	MINUS	14	= 0	x \$42 \$84	\$0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$140/\$280						\$0.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00

☐ °Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.

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A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.

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Charge \$____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 CFR 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate of this paper is enclosed.

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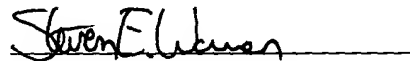
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